

MURRAY LAKE

Miss Helen Andrews and Miss Dorothy Vandewelt spent a few days last week in Chicago visiting friends.

Mrs. Orren Sayles has returned home after spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Montie Sayles, who has been very ill. Mr. and Mrs. Sayles have sold their farm at Marne and have gone to live with their son Frank and wife, of Muskegon.

Leo Richmond spent last week at the John Andrews home.

Miss Anna Anderson visited her niece, Mrs. George Lewis, last Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Engle and son visited Mrs. Bernice Byrne last Monday. Owing to bad roads there was only a small crowd at the Ladies Aid last week.

Gottfried Kropf and wife spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Wiggins.

Mrs. Etta Grey, of Cedar Springs is spending a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rennells.

Will Donovan and family moved onto the Jack Byrne farm last week. Gordon Frost and wife entertained the two Moseley pedro clubs last Friday evening.

NORTH EAST KEENE

The roads are bad now and so there isn't very much news.

Albert Houseman, Peter Schenden and Ellie Blasen were in Ionia Wednesday.

Mary and Irene Houseman spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Andrew Gibson is on the sick list.

It was very sad news to hear of the death of Grant Higgins. His parents and family have the sympathy of the community.

The sale was well attended at G. P. Hawley's. 200 sacks being handed out to the men and 20 took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hawley.

Maynard Byrnes was in Detroit Tuesday and brought home a new Ford.

Mr. Hull, of Greenville, is visiting

his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Seifried.

Floyd Clark, wife and baby, spent Sunday at Arthur Clark's.

Fay Clark has settled in his new home, south of Saranac.

Norman Childs and O. J. Byrnes attended the sale at F. Wilson's.

John Myers and Mattie were callers at O. J. Byrnes, Friday.

John Feuerstein is sick with the grip.

Leo Cowles is moving to Smyrna. Lyle and Fred Goodie spent Sunday at Walter Hubbard's.

Paul Kitson was a caller in Saranac Saturday.

Mrs. Fern Phillips was in Grand Rapids, Saturday.

Applauded poetry reading and samples and price lists for our new

We have just received our new

Belding Market Quotations

Butter Fat 33

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Eggs 20

MEATS

Hogs, dressed 13

Beef, alive 64

Veal Calves, alive 69

Lamb, alive 10

Hens, alive 20

GRAIN—PRICES PAID FARMERS

Wheat, No. 1 red 1.26

Wheat, No. 2, white 1.23

Rye 85

Oats 40

Beans 5.25

Potatoes, cwt. 1.25

HAY AND STRAW

Hay, ton \$14-16

FEEDS—SELLING PRICES

Brans, per cwt. 1.95

Middlings, per cwt. 2.00

Cornmeal, per cwt. 1.75

Corn and Oats, cwt. 1.75

Ground Oats, per cwt. 1.75

LOCAL ITEMS

About Our Town and Its People

Notice! Kindly get your order in at once for Don Lime and Sulphur Solution. H. J. Connell.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sowers, of West Washington street, on Thursday, March 9, an eight and one-half pound son, who has been named George Edward. Dr. Dutt reports that both mother and son are coming along nicely and that "Pa" Sowers will not be able to get along without that great big smile for a long time.

Mrs. A. M. Hall went to Greenville, Tuesday morning to spend the day visiting with friends.

Charles Sandy, local soap manufacturer made a business trip to Greenville, Tuesday.

We have just received our new samples and price lists for name cards. All orders filled promptly.

Mrs. Norman Johnson and two children, of Grand Rapids, came up on the morning train Tuesday to visit for a time with Mrs. Fred Slater, of Howard street.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rich, of 732 Moulton street, on Tuesday, March 7, a ten pound son, who will answer to the name of Lucius Ray. Dr. Dutt reports mother and the new heir as doing fine.

Mrs. Charles Snyder returned to her home near Alma, Monday morning, after having visited for a week at the home of her mother, Mrs. T. Head.

Harrison Pierce, of near Greenville, returned home Monday morning after having spent over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bowles.

Two weeks went to Greenville, Monday morning to visit with his son and to attend to some business.

Floyd Pierson, of Grand Rapids, was a home town guest over Sunday returning to Grand Rapids, Monday morning. While here he had as his guest, Miss Jessie Harkness, of Edmore, who returned to her home on Monday morning.

J. B. Essex, who has been visiting with a cousin, Ed. Warren, near Palo, for several months, came over to the old home, Sunday, evening and on Monday left for Grand Rapids, where he will visit with his son, Edwin, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Slocum were Sunday guests of relatives near Palo.

Anthony Martin, of Allegan, formerly of this city, is a candidate for alderman on the democratic ticket in Allegan this year. Well here's hoping Uncle Anthony wins.

Mrs. E. R. Dunlap, of Saranac, formerly of this city, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Scutten, on Thursday.

Duane Foss Jr. was on the sick list the fore part of the week.

Belding High School Lyceum course will be held at Church of Christ, on Friday evening. Don't miss it.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Church, daughter, Joy, and J. W. Church, spent last Monday, March 13 at their brother's James Kendig and family, at Ionia. It being their father, C. M. Kendig's 72nd birthday anniversary and five years since his devoted wife, a loving mother of the children, passed away. So the family usually tries to spend the day together.

Chas. Bush, of Grantan, was in town last week, one day. He always looks good to Belding people.

Don't fail to hear Atty. Edwin Rawdin, of Lansing, at Church of Christ, next Sunday evening at 7:00 p. m., on Anti-Saloon League work.

H. E. Church, who ministers to the Langston church people, with his family, is attending a neighborhood gathering at that place today.

Mrs. Esmen Harrington, of Greenville, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Wakeman.

Mrs. Nettie Stokes, of Greenville, came this morning to spend the day with Mrs. Wakeman.

A New York woman says: "I have used Parisian sage only two weeks but my hair has wonderfully increased in beauty, seems much heavier, and is entirely free of dandruff." The Corner Drug Store sells it with money back guarantee.—Adv.

Dr. Elmer William Little

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Residence 1202 Magnolia

Suite 206-207 Lilly-Fletcher Bldg.

3rd at Western, Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Maggie Soverson who has been sick the past week is able to resume her work again.

We hear that Mildred Seeley is on the gain.

Edwin Johnston was a Sunday caller at the home of his brother, Ansel Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. G. Hicks, who have been wintering in California, returned home on Tuesday evening. They have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Rasmussen, of Easton, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp, who have been spending several months at Pasadena and other cities in California, came home on Friday of last week.

Joe Ralph, a former resident of this city, during which time he was a foreman of the warping room in the white mill, drove over this morning on a business trip. Joe is looking as if farm life was agreeing with him and says that he is feeling just as good as he looks.

Jake Laux was an Ionia visitor on Tuesday afternoon.

Bohn—To Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Smith, on Thursday, March 9, a nine pound daughter, the coming of which has added about a foot to "Pa" Smith's height and made him get a hat of larger size than was heretofore necessary. Congratulations to the newcomers, who has been named Jacqueline Jannette.

Brinton F. Hall left here Monday morning on a business trip to Chicago.

Theodore Blasen went to Grand Rapids, Monday to transact business for the day.

Rev. B. J. Hicks, district elder of the Free Methodist church, returned to his home in this city, Monday morning after having attended a conference at Mt. Pleasant.

Time, tide and the Pere Marquette wait for no man, so said Jim Cramer when he got late for the noon train to Lansing, Saturday. Mr. Cramer planned on going to Lansing and tarried too long around the family domicile and when he got to the depot the train was disappearing over the hill near the foundry. Jim is a resourceful cuss, however, and just to show the railroad company that he could get to Lansing in spite of their old trains, he took the afternoon bus.

Rev. John A. Gabriels, of Ionia, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of Rev. John A. Klich.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgo Rasmussen and baby, of Ionia, were Sunday guests of sister, Mrs. A. L. Cichy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kern, who have been living in Bay City for a time, have moved back to the Kern farm in Orleans.

Milan Bennett, of Detroit, is visiting his father, Myron Bennett, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carothers and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Shaw, of Stanton, were Sunday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Carothers. They got here just in time to take in the big fire on the Hall farm.

Frank Neve went to Pierson to visit with relatives, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Rosenbaum went to Calumet, Sunday, to spend several days visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Emma Watkins returned from a two weeks visit at Grand Rapids, Saturday.

Mrs. Arno Ritts called on Mrs. Ansel Johnston, Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Blair of Wakeman, Ohio, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Donald B. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stacks visited relatives in Lansing, Sunday.

Worley's, the well known druggists, have a special proposition for anyone who is suffering with rheumatism. Ask about the Rheuma plan.—Adv.

See "Flower of the North" at the Empress, Wednesday and Thursday.

O. E. S. Baked Goods Sale

The fourth of a series of baked goods sales given by the O. E. S. will be held at Bignell's millinery store on Saturday, March 18, beginning at 10:00 a. m. We wish to thank all who have helped make these sales a success. The pillow cases will be given away at this time.

Fire Burns Roof

Fire started at the home of W. T. Sumner, Lewis street, Tuesday evening at about 7 o'clock from sparks from the chimney. The fire department arrived on the scene soon after it started and no damage was done except that it burned a small hole in the roof.

Local Man Gets Chautauqua Offer

We learn that the Redpath Chautauqua has recently offered a position as one of its seven day superintendents to Byron F. Brown, Sec. of our board of commerce and school board. Mr. Brown has the matter under consideration and has a short time for final decision.

We have just received our new samples and price lists for name cards. All orders filled promptly.

Stores To Have Half Holidays Again

At a recent meeting of the retailers of the city it was voted to follow the custom of the past two years in closing Thursday afternoons during the months of July and August. Some advocated a longer period but it was thought the old rule suited all interests better.

Miscellaneous Shower

Friends of Mrs. Norman Swartzmiller, to the number of about 30 gathered at the home of herself and husband, on S. Bridge street on Tuesday night of last week and gave the happy couple a miscellaneous shower, their marriage having recently taken place at the M. E. parsonage in this city. Rev. Osborne officiating. Mrs. Swartzmiller has lived here for several years and the groom recently came here. He is a twin brother to Mrs. Swartzmiller's first husband, who died a number of years ago. Besides having a mighty good time at the shower and party, the guests left a large number of useful and beautiful presents and had an excellent treat in the line of refreshments before leaving.

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Farm and Orchard

The High school agricultural department has just completed a test of 220 ears of seed corn for John Kohn. The corn was placed on home made racks and kernels from each were placed in a tester. The tester was a shallow box filled with sawdust and covered with a white cloth which contained 220 squares, each numbered to correspond with the numbers on the racks. About 86 per cent of the corn showed vigorous germination and only 7 refused to grow at all.

"Hubam"

A number of people have been asking what about "Hubam". The annual sweet clover? There has been given much print space to this new legume and I believe justly so and the heavy yields of expensive seed has been the main talking point of many. It is a law of all products which have made such a rapid advance to have high price seed until the number that go into it bring down the price of over producing the product and it will not surprise any of us to see "Hubam" sell cheap this fall.

Hubam, as a legume, is going to have a place according to experiments. When planted early under favorable conditions of moisture, heat and a sweet soil, it will produce 1 1/2 tons of hay in the first season and 200 or 300 pounds of seed in September or October. The Hubam requires a good soil for best results. These big yields have been produced by farmers who have fertilized heavily limed the soil, inoculated the seed, cultivated the rows which were 18 inches to 27 inches apart. Then weeded the crop by hand in between. It may be sowed broadcast using 10 pounds per acre.

The seed at this time is being sold where from \$1.50, \$2.00 or more a pound biennial sweet clover around 15-20c a pound. It would pay one to get seed which is certified and that is Michigan grown.

An acre of Hubam will not be an expensive experiment and if the results you and your farm you will have plenty of seed to begin with.

—H. J. Wheeler.

Open New Barber Shop

Herb (Jokey) Regan and William Delsworth, have formed a partnership and have opened a barber shop in the old Webster building on West Main street. They took care of their first customer Monday morning and both being popular fellows and old hands at the business, will make good without question.

All orders filled promptly.

We have just received our new

samples and price lists for our new

fit Building For Market

The old Star theatre room in the Vincent block has had the front torn out and the former style front put back in and within a short time the place will be occupied by a Mr. Perks of Greenville, with a first class cash meat market.

South Side Mothers Club

The South Side Mothers club will hold their regular meeting, Tuesday March 1st at 3:30 in the 2nd ward school building. Mrs. Demming and Mrs. Skinner in charge of the program. Have secured Dr. Holland, who will give a talk on health conditions. The kindergarten children will give a drill. Mr. Cook will give a talk. Mrs. E. J. Engemann and Mrs. Peter Engemann, the music committee.

tee, have chosen two very popular numbers; Miss Hilda Hanson will give a violin solo and Miss Isabel Hammonree will give a piano solo. Don't forget your pennies for the mystery box.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank the girls of Mill No. 3 and Rebekahs for the flowers and kindness extended at the death of our father, Jorgen Petersen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Hubbard.

Record Prices Reduced

New Prices

50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up

April Records Now On Sale

ISHAM JONES RECORDS NOW 75c

New Records

Spring Song, The Flatterer Piano Solo
Mammy Lou, Lalawana Lulaby Quartet
Just a Little Love Song My Mammy Knows, Isham Jones
Carolyn Blues, On the Gin Gin Ginny Shore, Carl Fenton
Granny, Doo-Dah Blues Bennie Kruegers

New Player Rolls Now On Sale

ON THE GIN GIN GINNY SHORE LEAVE ME WITH A SMILE
TUCK ME TO SLEEP DAPPER DAN NIGHT OF LOVE
MY MAMMY KNOWS APRIL SHOWERS

Brown-Hall Co.

Formerly Miller & Harris Furniture Co.

Specials for Saturday

March 18, 1922

Beef Roast 16c
Beef Stews 12 1/2c
Sausage 18c
Hamburg 15c
Starcol Salmon 15c
Victor Buckwheat Flour 20c
Victor Buckwheat Compound 20c
Temple Garden Buckwheat, self Rising 20c
5 lb Corn Meal 13c
Karo Syrup, 2 qts. 23c
Karo Syrup, 4 qts. 45c
1 1/2 lb Syrup 13c
King Patent Flour 89c
Brick Full Cream Cheese 26c

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Spring Means New Clothes

New clothes should have some new piece of jewelry.

Our line of spring jewelry is just what you will want, for spring and summer clothes.

The designs we have are the newest, the quality is of the best and the price most reasonable.

We invite you to look our stock over before buying.

In order to make room for new merchandise that we expect to put in we are closing out different items of our stock. We are now offering hat and coat brushes, sterling silver back, for 90c to \$2.50, originally sold for \$2.00 to \$5.00, only a few left. Smoking stands, value \$4.00 for \$2.95. Do not over-look this, a chance that does not come every day.

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M. L. WILLOUGHBY

Modern, Sanitary Plumbing

If you are contemplating anything in the plumbing line see me about it and let me make an estimate on the job. With reduced prices on soil pipe, closets, etc, I am in a position to save you real money.

COUZZINS, The PLUMBER

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Celrite Grocery

High Grade Winter Wheat Flour, Sack 98c

Comb Honey, per pound cake 30c

3 pkgs. Argo Startch	25c	4 lb. Fresh Roasted Farm House Coffee	89c
3 pkgs. Kellogg's Flakes	25c	3 lb can fresh roasted Monarch Coffee	99c
Jello, any flavor	10c	Large Pkg. Rub-No-More Washing Powder	25c
3 pkgs. Jiffy Jell	25c	Rub-No-More White Naptha Soap, bar	5c
Large Dill Pickles, doz.	25c	Lenox Soap, per bar	3c
Shredded Wheat, pkg.	15c	Sliced Pineapple or Del Monte Blackberries	25c
Fresh Corn Meal, 5 lb sack	19c	Best Alaska Pink Salmon, can	12c
7 lbs. Rolled Oats	25c	Best Cod Fish, per box	30c
Fresh Crackers, 7 lb box, lb	12c	Fancy Lean Bacon, per lb	26c
Salt Pork, lean or fat, lb	15c	Pint jar good Prepared Mustard	15c
Gallon cans Red Beets, per can	35c	1 lb jar Veribest Honey	21c
Libby's large cans Evaporated Mily	9c		

Crisp New Gingham's Are Here

A solid case of gingham's direct from the mill. They have spring time itself in their folds. Never have they been so charming, so satisfying in quality.

Coloring: new and developed in patterns that have a big spice of variety, suggest the nicest of frocks for women, the most winsome for children's apparel. See our east window.

Choice 22c per yard

Saturday Special

Bungalow Aprons 79c

These are from standard percale, trimmed with rick rack braid; the sizes are full; the price barely covers the price of the material—none sold before Saturday morning. See our west window.

E. C. LLOYD